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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136

A three (3) month extension of time, from July 8, 2003, to and including October 8, 2003, is requested to respond to the Office Action, mailed April 8, 2003 in the above-referenced application. Please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$475.00 (in view of the small entity status of the application) to cover the fee required by 37 CFR 1.17(c).

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